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Applicant : Thomas M. Kurth et al.  
Appln. No : 09/944,212  
For : TRANSESTERIFIED POLYOL HAVING SELECTABLE AND INCREASED FUNCTIONALITY AND URETHANE MATERIAL PRODUCTS FORMED USING THE POLYOL

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Dear Sir:

FOURTH SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT  
UNDER 37 CFR §1.97(b)

Pursuant to 37 CFR §§1.56 and 1.97(b), Applicants bring to the attention of the Examiner the documents listed on the attached Form PTO-1449. This Fourth Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is being filed after the events recited in §1.97(b) but to the undersigned's knowledge, before the mailing date of either a Final Action or a Notice of Allowance. Under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.97(c), this Fourth Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is accompanied by a certification as specified by §1.97(e).

To the knowledge of the undersigned, no item of information contained in this Information Disclosure Statement was cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application, and, after making a reasonable inquiry, no item of information contained in this Information Disclosure Statement was known to any individual designated in 37 C.F.R. §1.56(c) more than three months prior to the filing date of this Information Disclosure Statement.

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Copies of the listed documents are submitted herewith along with Form PTO-1449. Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consider the listed documents and evidence that consideration by making appropriate notations on the attached form.

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